

9th Bn. H.L.I.—Cleland Gourlay (late Cadet Serjt., Sedbergh Sch. Contgt., Jun. Div., O.T.C.) to be 2nd Lt. 12th Nov. 1926.

George Bennet Halley (late Cadet Corpl., Sedbergh Sch. Contgt., Jun. Div., O.T.C.) to be 2nd Lt. 12th Nov. 1926.

17th Lond. R.—Offr. Cadet Arthur John Andrews, from Cambridge Univ. Contgt., Sen. Div., O.T.C., to be 2nd Lt. 29th Jan. 1927.

22nd Lond. R.—Nicholas Bristowe (late Cadet, Eton Coll. Contgt., Jun. Div., O.T.C.) to be 2nd Lt. 13th Jan. 1927.

Hereford R.—Lt.-Col. James Lewis Sleeman, C.M.G., C.B.E., M.V.O., Res. of Off., to be Lt.-Col. 1st Nov. 1926.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

56th (1st Lond.) Divl. Train.—Lt. J. H. Threlfall resigns his commn. 29th Jan. 1927.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

GENERAL LIST.

Lt.-Col. Horace Guy Lankester Haynes, from the T.A. Res. of Off., to be Capt. with precedence as from 25th Oct. 1917, and relinquishes the rank of Lt.-Col. 1st Jan. 1927.

ROYAL ARMY CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Rev. C. V. de L. Surtees, B.A., relinquishes his Chaplncy., 4th Cl., T.A., on appt. to a temp. Chaplncy., 4th Cl., in the Regular Forces. 4th Jan. 1927.

GENERAL LIST.

UNIVERSITY CANDIDATES.

Robert Edward Knowles to be 2nd Lt. 29th Jan. 1927.

TERRITORIAL ARMY RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

GENERAL LIST.

INFANTRY.

2nd Lt. T. E. B. James, from Gen. List (Univ. Candidates) to be 2nd Lt. 29th Jan. 1927.

REGIMENTAL LIST.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

52nd (Manchester) Field Bde.—Lt. B. G. Ross, from Active List, to be Lt. 29th Jan. 1927.

85th (E. Anglian) Field Bde.—Capt. C. G. Jarrett, from Active List, to be Capt. 2nd Dec. 1926.

59th (4th W. Lan.) Medium Bde.—Lt. E. R. Orme, from Active List, to be Lt. 29th Jan. 1927.

INFANTRY.

5th Bn. Foresters—Lt. G. T. May resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 29th Jan. 1927.

7th Bn. A. & S.H.—Lt. H. E. L. Garle, from Active List, to be Lt. 29th Jan. 1927.

10th Lond. R.—Lt.-Col. G. G. Ewer, D.S.O., T.D., resigns his commn. and retains his rank. 29th Jan. 1927.

24th Lond. R.—Capt. A. J. Cleary, from Active List, to be Capt. 29th Jan. 1927.

Air Ministry,
28th January, 1927.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH.

Group Capt. Wilfrid Rhodes FREEMAN, D.S.O., M.C., is appointed Deputy Director of Operations and Intelligence Air Ministry 24th Jan. 1927, (vice Group Capt. Charles Stuart BURNETT, C.B.E., D.S.O.).

The undermentioned are granted short service commissions as Pilot Officers on probation, with effect from and with seniority of 15th Jan. 1927:—

Keith Conway BLATCHFORD.

James Douglas Ferrier BRUCE.

Harry Alfred George COMERFORD.

William George Hamilton EWING.

Hugh FRANCIS.

Geoffrey Augustus Graydon JOHNSTON.

Robert James Pilgrim MORRIS.

Christopher PAWLEY. (2nd Lt., 23rd London Regt., T.A.).

Cecil Ernest Noble TURTON.

Lt. Clifford Sydney PHILPOTT, Cheshire Regt., is granted a temporary commission as a Flying Officer on secondment for 4 years' duty with the R.A.F. 15th Jan. 1927.

Pilot Officer Francis Walter FIELD is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 30th Nov. 1926.

Pilot Officer on probation Edward Terence Michael SMALLEY is confirmed in rank. 8th Jan. 1927.

Squadron Leader Guy BLATHERWICK is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health. 21st Jan. 1927.

Flight Lt. Charles Buchanan DICK-CLELAND is placed on the retired list on account of ill-health. 24th Jan. 1927.

Flight Lt. John Augustus HOLLIS is transferred to the Reserve, Class A. 23rd Jan. 1927.

Flying Officer Bernard Albert DE NEVERS is transferred to the Reserve, Class C. 5th Dec. 1926. (Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 7th Dec. 1926).

Pilot Officer Laurence Maxwell Stanley KNIGHT relinquishes his short service commission on account of ill-health. 26th Jan. 1927.

The short service commissions of the undermentioned Pilot Officers on probation are terminated on cessation of duty:—

Percy Hugh DANGER. 22nd Dec. 1926.

Geoffrey Charles BAINBRIDGE. 26th Jan. 1927.

Reginald Henry PORTAL, D.S.C., Comdr., R.N., Flying Officer, R.A.F., relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Naval duty. 10th Jan. 1927.

Flying Officer Douglas Gordon BRODIE, (Lt., R.A.), relinquishes his temporary commission on return to Army duty. 24th Jan. 1927.

STORES BRANCH.

Pilot Officer Alfred AMY is promoted to the rank of Flying Officer. 25th Jan. 1927.